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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Masashi MAKITA et al.

Patent Art Unit: 3612

Serial No.: 10/766,025

Examiner: Patricia Lynn Engle

Filed: January 29, 2004

For: VEHICLE BODY FRONT SECTION  
STRUCTURE

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

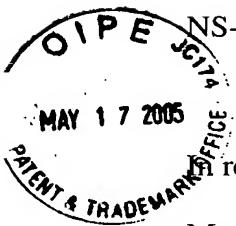
Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

 No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS			SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL 25	- 20	= 5	x 25 = \$		x 50 = \$250	
INDEP 6	- 3	= 3	x 100 = \$		x 200 = \$600	
[ ] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM			+ 180 = \$		+ 360 = \$	
			TOTAL \$		TOTAL \$850	

 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1836. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. Any additional excess claim fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.Dated: 5-17-05David L. Tarnoff  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER  
FINAL REJECTION****AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the April 1, 2005 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-25 are pending, with claims 1, 5, 8, 13, 18 and 19 being the only independent claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.